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TEXT:

1. ACTION REQUIRED: NONE, FYI.

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2. ATMOSPHERICS:

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A. ON 19 APRIL 2003, ((KHALID SHAYKH MUHAMMAD)) (KSM) WAS INTERROGATED/DEBRIEFED BY HVT INTERROGATOR [REDACTED] HVT SUBJECT MATTER EXPERT [REDACTED] AND ALEC SUBJECT MATTER EXPERT [REDACTED]

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B. KSM WAS QUESTIONED ON AL-QA'IDA CONNECTIONS IN MALAYSIA AND INDONESIA AS WELL AS HIS EXPERIENCE AS A MECHANICAL ENGINEER WORKING

[REDACTED]

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3. ENHANCED MEASURES: NONE

4. ASSESSMENT: KSM REMAINS ATTENTIVE AND RESPONSIVE. HE CONTINUES TO VOLUNTEER RELEVANT SPONTANEOUS AND UNSOLICITED INFORMATION. HIS CONDITIONING BECOMES MORE EFFECTIVE EACH DAY IN TERMS OF DESIRED AUTOMATIC CONFORMITY TO DEBRIEFING PREPARATIONS AS WELL AS HIS JUDGED LEVEL OF ENGAGEMENT IN THE ENSUING DEBRIEFING DIALOGUE. WHILE THE HVTI TEAM REMAINS VIGILANT AND ASSUMES SOME LEVEL OF DECEPTION REMAINS, KSM DOES NOT IDENTIFIABLY ENGAGE IN OVERT BEHAVIORS OF CALCULATED OR OBVIOUS RESISTANCE AS WAS HIS BEHAVIOR IN THE NOT TOO RECENT PAST. TODAY KSM PROVIDED A GREAT DEAL OF PERSONAL INFORMATION AND PERSPECTIVES REGARDING HIS PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AS AN ENGINEER AS THIS EXPERIENCE RELATED TO HIS SUCCESS AS AN AL-QA'IDA LEADER. HE ALSO REPORTED NEW AND CRITICAL INFORMATION ON A MALAYSIAN OPERATIVE.

5. PLANS: CONTINUE TO DEBRIEF AND REFINE SPECIFIC POINTS WITH NEW AND PREVIOUSLY PROVIDED INFORMATION. ENSURE KSM RECEIVES APPROPRIATE BEHAVIORAL MANAGEMENT IN ORDER TO MAINTAIN HIS ADAPTABILITY AND WILLINGNESS TO SUSTAIN PRODUCTIVE DEBRIEFING BEHAVIOR. AS KSM SHOWS NO SIGNS OF REGRESSION, STARTING NEXT WEEK THE HVT INTERROGATOR WILL VARY HIS PRESENCE IN THE DEBRIEFING ROOM ON A VARIABLE INTERVAL SCHEDULE. [REDACTED]

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PROGRESS TOWARD FULL DEBRIEFING STATUS REMAINS CONSTANT AND PRODUCTIVE.

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